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What the Ship Brought Me.

I waited long by the wide bay's side,
Waited until the sun went down,
And the mountain peak against the sky
Leaned, wearing a gleaming gold crown.
The crickets chirped in the waving grass,
The waves made music in passing along,
While many a bird just going to rest
Sang its soft, melodious vesper song.

I heard the bells of the village ring,
Ringing the close of the long day's toil,
The end of the factory's busy hum,
And the daily labor's brisk turmoil;
And the shadows deepened while I sat there
Watching, aye, watching for one to come,
One who had been for a whole long year
Many and many a mile from home.

What was that voice that I listened to,
That sang a song of sweetness rare?
What was the whisper that came to me
As I sat watching the bright waves there?
It was the voice of the heart's strong faith,
Of the soul's high trust it was the song,
And I knew that I soon would behold the face
Of him who had absent been so long.

And the moon arose with her wonted grace,
And smiled on a sail so purely white
It seemed like the wing of some spirit pale
That had come abroad in the moonlit night.
I watched its coming with hope and fear
As I saw the vessel more plainly grow
To my sight, though it came on sluggish feet,
Aye, it came, it seemed to me, so slow!

But joy for me was in that ship,
For it brought my loved one back to me—
Him who had carried his faith and hope
All over the cruel, tempestuous sea;
And now, whenever I sit beside
That white-capped bay and a sail appears,
I think of the joy which a sail brought me
One summer eve in the long-gone years.

—*Caleb Dunn.*

THREE BRAVE MEN.

Pretty Barbara Ferron would not marry. Her mother was in consternation.

"Why are you so stubborn, Barbara?" she asked. "You have plenty of lovers?"

"But they do not suit," said Barbara, coolly tying her curls before the mirror.

"Why not?"

"I want to marry a man who is brave, equal to any emergeney. If I give up my liberty I want it taken care of."

"Silly child! What is the matter with Big Barney, the blacksmith?"

"He is big, but I never heard that he was brave."

"And you never heard that he was not. What is the matter with Ernest, the gunsmith?"

"He is as placid as goat's milk."

"That's no sign he is a coward. There is Little Fritz, the tanner; he is quarrelsome enough for you, surely!"

"He is no bigger than a bantam cock. It is little good he can do if the house was set upon by robbers."

"It is not always strength that wins a fight, girl. It takes brains as well as brawn. Come now, Barbara, give these three young fellows a fair trial."

Barbara turned her face before the mirror, letting down one raven tress and looping up another.

"I will, mother," she said, at last.

That evening Ernest, the gunsmith knocked at the door.

"You sent for me, Barbara?" he said, going to the girl, who stood upon the hearth, coquettishly warming one pretty foot and then the other.

"Yes, Ernest," she replied, "I've been thinking on what you said the other night when you were here."

"Well, Barbara?"

Ernest spoke quietly, but his dark blue eyes flashed, and he looked at her intently.

"I want to test you."

"How?"

"I want to see if you dare do a very disagreeable thing."

"What is it?"

"There is an old coffin up-stairs. It smells moldy. They say Redmond, the murderer, was buried in it; but Satan came for his body and left the coffin empty at the end of a week, and it was finally taken from the tomb. It is up-stairs in the room grandfather died in, and they say grandsire does not rest easy in his grave for some reason, though that I know nothing about. Dare you make that coffin your bed to-night?"

Ernest laughed.

"Is that all. I will do that and sleep soundly. Why, pretty one, did you think I had weak nerves?"

"Your nerves will have good proof if you undertake it. Remember, no one sleeps in that wing of the house."

"I shall sleep the sounder."

"Good night, then; I will send a lad to show you the chamber. If you stay till morning," said the imperious Miss Barbara, with a nod of her pretty head, "I will marry you."

"You vow it?"

Ernest turned straight away, and followed the lad in waiting, through dim rooms and passages, up echoing stairs, along narrow damp ways, where rats scuttled before, to a low chamber. The lad looked pale and scared, evidently wanting to hurry away, but Ernest made him wait till he took a survey by the aid of his lamp. It was very large, and full of recesses, which had been barred across. He remembered that the old grandsire Ferron had been insane for several years before his death, so that this precaution had been necessary for the safety of himself and others. In the centre of the room stood a coffin, beside it stood a chair. The room was otherwise perfectly empty.

Ernest stretched himself out in the coffin.

"Be kind enough to tell Miss Barbara it is a very good fit," he said.

The boy went out and shut the door, leaving the young gunsmith alone in the dark.

Meanwhile Barbara was talking with the big blacksmith in the sitting room.

"Barney," said she, pulling her hand away from his grasp when he would have kissed her, "I've a test to put you to before I give you an answer. There is a corpse lying in the chamber where my grandsire died, in the untenanted wing of the house. If you dare sit with it all night and let nothing drive you away from your post you will not ask me again in vain."

"You will give me a light and a bottle of wine and a book to read?"

"Nothing."

"Are these all the conditions you can offer me, Barbara?"

"All. And if you are frightened you need never look me in the face again."

So Barney was conducted to his post by the lad, who had been instructed in the secret, and whose involuntary start at Ernest's placid face as he lay in the coffin, was attributed by Barney to the natural awe of a corpse. He took his seat and the boy left him alone with the darkness, the bats, and the coffin.

Shortly after, young Fritz, the tanner, arrived, flattered and hopeful from the fact that Barbara had sent for him.

"Have you changed your mind, Barbara?"

"No; and I shall not until I know that you can do a really brave thing."

"What shall it be? I swear to satisfy you, Barbara."

"I have a proposal to make to you. My plan requires skill as well as courage."

"Tell me."

"Well, in this house there is a man watching a corpse. He has sworn not to leave his post till morning. If you can make him do it I shall be satisfied that you are as smart and as brave as I require a husband to be."

"Why, nothing is no easy!" exclaimed Fritz. "I can scare him away. Furnish me with a sheet, show me the room and go to your rest, Barbara. You shall find me at the post in the morning."

Barbara did as required and saw the tanner step lightly away to his task. It was then nearly 12 o'clock and she sought her own chamber.

Barney was sitting at his vigil, and so far all had been well.

The night had been very long, for he had no means of counting the time. At times a thrill went through him, for it seemed as if he could hear a low suppressed breathing not far away. He persuaded himself that it was the wind blowing through the crevices of the old house. Still it was very lonely and not at all cheerful.

The face in the coffin gleamed white still. The rats squeaked as if there was a famine upon them and they smelled dead flesh. The thought made him shudder. He got up and walked about, but something made a noise behind him, and he put his chair with its back against the wall and sat down again. He had been at work all day, and at last grew sleepy. Finally he nodded and snored.

Suddenly it seemed as if somebody had touched him. He awoke with a start, and saw nobody near, though in the centre of the room stood a white figure.

"Curse you, get out of this," he exclaimed, in a fright, using the first words that came to his tongue.

The figure held out its arm and slowly approached him. He started to his feet. The spectre came nearer, pressing him into the corner.

"The mischief take you!" cried Barney, in his extremity.

Involuntarily he stepped back; still the figure advanced, coming nearer and nearer, as if to take him in a ghostly embrace. The hair started up on Barney's head; he grew desperate, and just as the gleaming arm would have touched him he fell on the ghost like a whirlwind, tearing the sheet, thumping, pounding, beating, and kicking, more and more enraged at the resistance he met with, which told him the truth.

As the reader knows, he was big, and Fritz was little, and while he was pounding the little fellow terribly, and Fritz was trying to get a lunge at Barney's stomach, to take the wind out of him, both kicking and plunging like horses, they were petrified by hearing a voice cry:

"Take one of your size, Big Barney."

Looking around they saw the corpse sitting up in his coffin. This was too much. They released each other and sprang for the door. They never knew how they got out; but they ran home in hot haste, panting like stags.

It was Barbara herself who came and opened the door the next morning.

"It's very early; one more little nap," said he, "one more little nap," turning over in his coffin.

So she married him; though she sent Fritz and Barney invitations to the wedding, they did not appear. If they discovered the trick they kept the knowledge to themselves and never willingly faced Barbara's laughing eyes again.

THE SHETLAND PONY.

Characteristics of the Little Animal—Entirely Devoid of Viciousness.

The native live stock of Shetland cannot generally be commended, but the well known pony of that part of the world is perfect of its kind. As carts would be out of place on the steep sides of the hills, ponies are kept by every family for the purpose of carrying peat for the winter. The fuel, after being dried, is placed in baskets called "cassies," one of which hangs on each side of the animal's back, a strong, broad back, admirably adapted for the purpose of bearing heavy burdens. The "Sheltie" is an animal which for many generations has been bred and trained under special and peculiar circumstances, and hence his physique and general character, his hereditary instincts and intelligence, his small size and his purity and fixity of type. A pony belonging to a breed which has had to pick its zigzag way down a steep declivity during many generations, must be sure-footed. By the same rule, a pony, whose grooms and playmates include a dozen juveniles—the children of the neighborhood, who roll about underneath him, or upon his back—must be gentle, and the same pony, living on the scathold on air sometimes, rather than on herbage, must be hardy. The pony of the Shetland Isles is in fact the offspring of circumstances. He is the pet of the family, gentle as the Arab steed under similar training. He will follow his friends indoors like a dog, and lick the platters or the children's faces. He has no more kick in him than a cat, and no more bite in him than a puppy. He is a noble example of the complete suppression of those vicious propensities that some of his kind exhibit when they are ill-treated, and of the intelligence and good temper that may be developed in horses by kindness. There is no precedent for his running away, nor for his becoming frightened or tired, even when he has carried some stout laird from Lerwick to his house, many Scotch miles across the hills. He moves down the rugged hillsides with admirable circumspection, loaded pannier fashion with two heavy "cassies" of peat, picking his way step by step, sometimes sideways. In crossing boggy spots, where the water is retained and a green carpet of aquatic grass might deceive some steeds, and bring them headlong to grief in the spongy trap, he carefully smells the surface, and is thus enabled to circumvent the danger. In the winter the Shetland pony wears a coat made of felted hair, and specially suited for the occasion. His thick winter garment is well adapted for protecting him against the fogs and damps of the climate. It is exceedingly warm and comfortable, fits close to the wearer's dapper form, and is not bad looking when new. But when the coat grows old toward spring—at the season when the new one should appear—it becomes the shabbiest garment of the kind that you often see. Its very amplitude and the abundance of the material, render it conspicious when it peels and hangs for a while ragged and worn out, and then falls bit by bit, till the whole of it disappears. The number of ponies bred in different districts depends upon circumstances. A good breeding district must possess a good hill—that is, a hill lying well for shelter, and well clothed with native vegetation, such as heather.—*Forestry.*

Rules for Entertaining Guests.

Don't invite them if you don't want them.

Don't run in debt to entertain them in style.

Don't turn your house upside down for them.

Don't wear your Sunday dress when you are cooking the dinner.

Don't show them off too publicly if they happen to be distinguished individuals, and don't hide them if they are poor relatives.

Don't change the complexion of your family prayers to match the religion they happen to belong to.

Don't tell them every minute to make themselves at home, but make your house so home-like that they can't help feeling at home.

CONCEALED WEALTH.

The Curious Places Where Money Has Been Found When Hidden or Lost.

"I have been sent for very often in my time," said and elderly New York detective, to a *Sun* reporter, "to search for money concealed by eccentric people. There was more of this hiding of cash forty years ago, than there is now, owing probably, to the doubtful character of some of the old savings banks.

"Some fifteen years ago, I went up to a farm house in Orange county, at the request of the heirs, to look for money. The deceased had no striking characteristics for my purpose, and after trying several lines of search for three days, I grew doubtful. His riding saddle had been ripped open, his bootneers knocked off for diamonds, his shoes split up and his upholstery pulled to pieces. Bricks had been taken out, the hearth torn up, and the wainscotings pulled down. Even the backboards of picture frames had been taken out, and the boys had dug around the roots of every tree in the orchard, but still no money had been found. The reward was too large to be lost, but I was nearly at my wits' end. Finally the thought came like a flash: 'Where was the old gentleman in the habit of sitting?' I asked. 'Oh, he almost always sat by that window,' said the brother; 'but we've pulled everything to pieces around there.' 'Sit down just as he did.' The man sat down. 'In which direction was he most apt to look?' 'Nowhere in particular; out of the window, generally.' 'Toward the barn?' 'No, this way.' I followed the look; it was in the line of an old used-up pump. 'Which way did he walk when he went out to the field?' 'Over to the pump, and then made a bee line for the pond.' These answers had a certain significance. Men like to have the place of concealment in sight, and it is well known that they will often walk over money they have buried, to see that the sod is undisturbed. I had the pump taken up and excavations made—no money. The pump was replaced. I entered the room once more, and stood by the window. Suddenly I saw a faint but peculiar looking mark on the sill; it was a surveyor's point. I 'lined' it up to the pump, measured out to the exact centre of the line, and the digging began. A two-inch steam pipe was struck at a depth of four feet. The end was plugged; I took home a $500 bill that night."

"I had a curious case two years ago. A wealthy man had been attacked with partial paralysis, and his speech and the greater part of his memory had left him. He wrote out the question: 'Where did I put my money?' The amount was large, $32,000 in bonds, which he had been about to take to a safe deposit building. The heirs were wild. I stopped all the clearing up and cushion-pricking business, for the man was not a 'concealer,' though it was supposed by the doctors that he had felt the attack coming on, and had put the money in some out-of-the-way-place. Just how, or in what spot in his library he had fallen, could not be made out. After a day's reflection, my partner and I had to conclude that he had been robbed. Two courses were open to us: we could make sudden arrests without any real evidence, always a hateful course for a good detective to take, or we must find the exact spot where the man fell, and 'line' up from that. The doctors helped us here: 'You had better examine the gentleman's body,' they said. We did so, and found a long horizontal mark on the hip, and blue marks on the knee and elbow. He had fallen sidewise over an object not over sixteen inches high, and having a narrow, rounded edge of metal, for an iron mark was found on the clothing. Every piece of furniture in the house was inspected, but to no purpose. The heirs apparent were in despair. We took all night to think the matter over. Then my partner said: 'How about the cellar? That's where the household metal is.' They all laughed. 'He hasn't been there in a year,' they said. We went down. My partner glanced quickly around, and then gave me a look that I can almost feel running through my nerves to this day. He had discovered some common household articles which had not been used since the family had been searching the fireplaces. He was, in fact, looking over a lot of coal hods. 'There is our metalic edge,' he said. He turned the hods over carefully, and from out a mass of waste paper, there rolled at last the $32,000 worth of bonds. The paralytic had fallen over the hod, and the money had dropped into it among his waste papers. Before the general search was made, all 'rubbish' had been taken to the cellar. Our friends had sought too deeply for what they had supposed to be concealed money, and had grossly neglected the science of the obvious. Some detectives do precisely the same thing. My partner and I divided $5,000 between us that night."

Invention of the Telephone.

This is Professor Bell's account of the way in which the telephone came to be invented. A reporter asked him: "Was the invention of the telephone the result of a deliberate research and experiment for that purpose, or was it a discovery rather than a creation?"

"It was the result of long and patient study of two distinct lines of thought which finally blended in one, producing the telephone. I had for a long time studied the subject of speech and the organs by which it is produced, as had my father before me, and in doing so conceived the idea of producing artificial sounds by a certain system. I came to Canada for my health, I am a native of Scotland, you know, and while studying electricity in the woods there, and on regaining my lost health, I was called by the officials of the Boston schools to introduce a new system of teaching the deaf. It was nothing less than teaching them to speak. I had long believed it possible to teach the deaf the use of the mouth and organs of speech and had demonstrated it in some degree, and gladly accepted the opportunity of putting the system into practical operation. I undertook the work, keeping up, however, my study of electricity and its application to sound production, working late at night after other people were at rest. In my efforts to demonstrate to the deaf how the sound waves affect the hearing ear I made use of a little instrument with a membranous diaphragm which responded to the sound waves. I conceived the idea of writing these sound waves on smoked glass so that they could be read. Continuing the experiment still further, I obtained a human ear, and found that by speaking into it I could produce similar but more satisfactory results, a little bone in the ear being moved by the vibration of the ear drum and writing the sound waves on the glass. All this time I was continuing my experiments with sound and the application of electricity to its production. I had succeeded in a considerable degree when suddenly the idea of connecting the two successful experiments occurred to me, and I did so, attaching the ear to the instrument by which the sounds were produced, and I had the telephone. The remainder was only a matter of detail. The two lines of thought and investigation which I had followed so long and patiently blended there, and the result was the telephone."

Curious Facts About Insane People.

The condition of idiots can sometimes be mended by proper training. There is an institution for this purpose near Media, Pa. It sometimes happens that the infliction of accidental violence upon the head of idiots is followed by the return of the mind. This is a very singular but well authenticated fact. It is stated by competent authorities that the bones of insane persons become unnaturally brittle. There is little doubt of the correctness of this statement; and this fact at times doubtless makes it appear as though great violence had been inflicted upon the insane; that is, very slight injuries will in these persons produce wounds which would require extraordinary violence for their production in healthy persons. A curious fact concerning melancholy is "that great actors, public orators, and others who undergo great fatigue to amuse the public are subject to this very form of derangement." The poet Cowper was said to be suffering from it at the time he wrote "John Gilpin." It is due insane persons that they be provided with the necessaries of life, and that they be protected from their own violence and from the violence of others as far as possible. It is also due society that the sane people in the world be protected from the violence of the insane. In no way can this be accomplished as effectually as by the hospitals for the insane. Notwithstanding all the furore which is at times raised against these institutions it is probable that most of them are managed in the best possible manner.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Selfishness.

Poor human nature, which views the universe from the stand-point of its own interests, is illustrated in this anecdote:

A Scotch farmer was greatly exercised regarding the safety of his hay crop. The weather, though often threatening, favored his efforts till he had succeeded in getting it safely gathered in, being in this respect more fortunate than several of his neigbors. After seeing the last wisp of straw tied round his stacks, he exclaimed, with a self satisfied air:

"Noo, sin' I hae gotten my hay a' safely in, I think the warld would be greatly the better o' a guid shower."

SCIENTIFIC SCRAPS.

Electricity has been successfully applied as a motive powe to omnibuses in Paris.

Cotton manufactured into duck is being successfully introduced as a roofing material. Aside from its cheapness it possesses the advantage of lightness as compared with shingles or slate; it effectually excludes from water, and it is said to be a non-conductor of heat.

Brohme's experiments seem to show that in the plant there are two operations taking place—making sugar from carbonic acid and the conversion of the same sugar into starch.

Sir Henry Thompson, the London surgeon, recognizes in fish a combination of all the elements of food that the human body requires in almost every phase of life, more especially by those who follow sedentary employment. To women he considers fish to be an invaluable article of diet, but he scouts as a complete fallacy the notion that fish-eating increases the brain power. "The only action fish had on the brain was to put a man's body into proper relations with the work he had to do."

Professor Sir W. Thompson, in his new treatise on natural philosophy, is led by a consideration of the necessary order of cooling and consolidation of the earth to infer that the interior of our world is not, as commonly supposed, all liquid, with a thin solid crust of from 30 to 100 miles thick, but that it is on the whole more rigid than a continuous solid globe of glass of the same diameter, and probably more rigid than such a globe of steel.

Edward Bromley, a young Philadelphia machinist, asserts that he has discovered a new mechanical law, the application of which will enable him to increase hundred-fold the power of any machine, from a clock to a steamship, without using an ounce more fuel than usual, or driving the motive power any faster than ordinarily. The discovery consists in combining the action of the screw, the inclined plane and one other form which, like Mr. Keeley, he refuses to mention.

Arab Courage.

The courage of the Bedouin is one of their most lauded virtues, but one which within the present century has not been conspicuously vindicated. I have seen more than once a tribe on a raid, and have heard more than one tale of Bedouin battles. As a rule, the bulletin seems to be to the following effect: "We bravely attacked the enemy, which made its appearance in a force of one to our ten. We took several prisoners, and the enemy lost heavily, two horses and several cows being slain. At length his remaining forces withdrew, and we found our casualties to include one mare hurt in the leg by a spear. We cut off the fore fingers of our prisoners in remembrance of those of our tribe whose beards and hair had been burned off on a former occasion, and letting them go, drove off the captured camels, and endeavored to conceal as far as possible the direction of our victorious retreat." Such are the deeds which I have heard recounted, and although men are sometimes slain in battle, and Fahed en Nimar has legs which have been peppered with small shot, it must be remembered that to initiate a blood feud is a most serious circumstance in tribe life, and that the whole policy of the leaders will for many years be directed to the healing of the breach thus caused, and to the settlement of blood money. When a disagreement occurs between two tribes, they will gather their spearmen, concentrate their encampments, and square up, so to speak, toward each other, but they generally contrive, before matters come to an open breach, to find a third party willing to mediate, and a compromise is established, to the great relief of the bold warriors on either side.—*Blackwood's Magazine.*

A Tramp's Siesta.

A woman who had been swinging in a hammock in a yard on Cass avenue recently, had no sooner vacated it in answer to a call from the house, than a ragged old tramp who had been leaning over the fence walked inside and coolly planted himself in the hammock for a siesta. In about five minutes the woman reappeared, and seeing at a glance how matters stood, she brought out a sharp knife, walked straight up to the fellow, and before he could chuckle twice, she cut the head rope. He came down on his head with a thump, toppled over at full length, and slowly scrambled up and walked off. Not a word was said until he was outside the gate. Then he turned and called out:

"Maybe you'd like my photograph just as I keeled out of that old fish-net, but you won't get it—not by a jugfull!"—*Free Press.*

Courtship.

It chanced, they say, upon a day,
A furlong from the town,
That she was strolling up the way
As he was strolling down;
She humming low, as might be so,
A ditty sweet and small;
He whistling loud a tune, you know
That had no tune at all.
It happened so, precisely so,
As all their friends and neighbors know.

As I and you perhaps might do,
They gazed upon the ground;
But when they'd gone a yard or two,
Of course they both looked round
They both were pained, they both explained
What caused their eyes to roam;
And nothing after that remained
But he should see her home.
It happened so, precisely so,
As all their friends and neighbors know.

Next day to that 'twas common chat,
Admitting no debate,
A bonnet close beside a hat
Was sitting on a gate,
A mouth, not more, had bustled o'er,
When, braving nod and smile,
One blushing soul came through the door
Where two when up the aisle.
It happened so, precisely so,
As all their friends and neighbors know

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

A young man biting his mustache is a case of "down in the mouth."

An improbable story is properly a canard, because intelligent people canardly believe it.

The average girl with a big hat loaded with flowers and feathers seems all head till you talk to her.

"How to Attain the Life Beyond," is the title of a 50-cent book. We will tell you for a cent. Eat a cucumber.

It is a Chicago scientist's prediction that if pointed shoes remain in use human toes will eventually be obliterated among civilized people.

The waitress inferred that the guest had taken a little something before supper from the mere fact of his ordering "tied fraters and chork pops."

Mrs. Gillolly says she doesn't see what they want to send way over to Egypt to get rags for. She has been fully supplied since she married Gillolly.

At Niagara Falls a young bride was very much embarrassed when a hackman pointed to her husband and said: "Do you want a carriage for your father, miss?"

Artemus Ward once indignantly remarked to a railroad president who refused him a favor: 'You won't pass me, because your road is so slow it won't pass anybody."

Music teacher to scholar: "You see that note with an open space? That's a whole note. Can you remember that?" Scholar: "Yes'm—a whole note is a note with a hole it."

A Kansas woman was upbraiding her husband when a cyclone hove in sight, and, with a sigh of relief, the unhappy man ran out into its path, and was safely blown into the next county.

The Man With a Boil.

A broad-shouldered man was walking along Chatham street on Friday. He looked as if he was in great pain.

"What's the matter?" asked a friend.

"Oh, I'm in terrible agony! Got a boil as big as a watermelon on my calf. Can hardly walk. So long!" and the proprietor of Job's comforter moved off. As he did so another gentleman came along and shook hands with his friend.

"I've got the biggest joke of the season on ——. There he goes up the street. He was telling me how he was frightened by a dog this morning. Let's have some fun."

The new arrival was "in for it."

"You walk up behind him, grab him by the leg and bark like a dog. His nerves are all unstrung, and we'll have a big joke on him to see him jump."

"I'll do it," said the other, "and you walk on the other side and see me scare him to death."

The two parted to carry out the programme. The latest arrival proceeded after their mutual friend. Just as he got close up behind him he grabbed him by the boil and playfully barked: "Bow, wow, wow," just as naturally as a dog show.

The broad-shouldered man went up in the air, while his face looked as if he had suddenly swallowed a tree full of persimmons. When he came down he recited the alphabet backwards and then pointed his toe thirteen different times at his playful friend, slammed him up against a telegraph pole, mashed his hat over his eyes, and then walked away looking as if he would like to put the leg with the watermelon boil on it over his shoulder and carry it home.

After the "dog" had pulled himself out of his hat he hunted up and down Chatham street for the man who had put the job up on him, but he couldn't find him, for he was looking over the cornice of a neighboring house and bursting with grins.—*New York World.*

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Rev. B. Hengst will preach next Sunday morning, German.

Sunday School, 1½ P. M.—Rev. C. F. Gephart, Supt

Missionary Society meets on the third Monday evening of each month.

Methodist.

Rev. Furman Adams Preacher-in-charge.

Regular services next Sunday evening.

Sunday School at 10½ A. M.—D. A Musser, Sup't

Reformed.

Rev. Zwingli A. Yeatrick, Pastor.

Mite society meets regularly on the first Tuesday evening of each month.

United Brethren.

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Lodge & Society Directory.

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The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in the Penn street school house on the evening of the second Monday of each month.

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FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,
Ellis L. Orvis,
OF BELLEFONTE.

If we except the utterly disgraceful session of the senate last Thursday, brought on by the outrageous rulings of Reyburn, who for a short time occupied the chair, nothing of importance has happened in Harrisburg for a week. The house manifests a disposition to do its duty, while the senate meets but twice a week only to adjourn. Thus the circus goes on, but the best of it is that the members get no pay. How long this will continue time will tell.

HOW IT STANDS.

On the 5th instant in the absence of Boss Cooper, the senate, on motion of Senator Wagner, the democratic senator from Cumberland, passed a resolution by an almost unanimous vote, directing the proper committee to report a bill providing for the payment of the salaries of senators and representatives until the 10th inst, and no longer. The house had passed a resolution substantially the same, prior to that day, and sent it to the senate for concurrence. The senate amended the house resolution just enough to give it a different form, in the hope that the house would non-concur in the amendments, and thus defeat the resolution. But the democratic house was equal to the emergency and seriously interfered with Boss Cooper's low tricks, and on the 12th instant re-passed the resolution just as it came from the senate, by the decisive vote of 104 yeas to 74 nays—the nays being nearly all republicans, acting under instructions of their red-haired boss.

Thus were the stalwart obstructionists caught in their own trap. The resolution is passed by both houses and has the *moral* force of law. Both the senators and the representatives now work for nothing, whether they do much or little, and they can well afford to do it, for the pay they already have received is out of all proportion to the work done.

The following is the *Patriot's* account of the antics of Cooper and some of his henchmen, during and immediately after the passage of the resolutions in the house:

Cooper thought such a thing could not possibly be done and coming over sat down in Vankirk's seat to witness the defeat he had been praying for so fervently of late. But the house rejecting McNamara's motion to send it to committee and Hines' "when they do report" amendment, passed it straight. It was a disappointment to the golden haired angel of constitutional obstruction, and he forthwith hurried to carry the news to Davies, the pride of the north, engaged in advancing his bill to get the ten dollars a day the state allows him for services in the senate. A cloud spread over Davies' classic features. Senators Herr and Greer divined the cause and the McCraken shed a smile of sympathy. "Things are not always what they seem," was the laconic observation of the poetic George Handy Smith, whilst Grady bobbed up serenely alongside Reyburn to picture that woe that must happen in case the ultimatum Babylon falls.

A Strong List.

The following is the New York *Sun's* list of probable Democratic candidates for the Presidency, to which the JOURNAL adds, or rather *prefixes* the name of GEN. WINFIELD S. HANCOCK, of Pennsylvania:

Thomas F. Bayard, Delaware.
Benjamin F. Butler, Massachusetts.
Rosewell P. Flower, New York.
Abram S. Hewitt, New York.
Allen G. Thurman, Ohio.
Thomas A. Hendricks, Indiana.
William S. Holman, Indiana.
Joseph C. McDonald, Indiana.
John M. Palmer, Illinois.
Samuel J. Randall, Pennsylvania.

Ex-Gov. Curtin on the Situation

From an Interview in the Altoona Times.

He regards the attitude of the republican members of the legislature on the apportionment question as infamous, going to establish a precedent that is dangerous to constitutional government. Their defiance of the plain mandate of the organic law, and the violation of their solemn oaths, show a desparation and wantonness calculated to alarm every sincere lover of liberty and the perpetuity of free institutions. It is the same spirit that ruled in the fraudulent transaction of 1876 77—the arbitrary grasping of power not given by the votes of the people nor admitted by any just division of political power.

He thinks the outlook for democratic success this fall is promising, and all that is needed to insure it is for the democrats to get out to the polls. He is sure that many republicans are disgusted with the methods employed by those in authority in conducting the affairs of the national government, and the attempt of Cooper, Quay, Magee & Co., in refusing to give the people equal representation under the constitution. With reinforcements from this direction, the defeat of Christ. Magee's man Livsey ought to be no longer a question, as well as that of the trimmer Niles.

A Job for Stewart.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch (Ind. rep.)

If Senator Stewart can give the people of the state a few good reasons why an apportionment that was fair enough for him during the regular session, could not get his support in the extra session, he will develope an ability of statesmanship which has heretofore been unsuspected. As it was within the power of the independent senators to force a non-partisan apportionment early in the session, it will give these gentlemen an ample occasion for the exercise of their eloquence in explaining why it was not done.

Testing the Power of Congress.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 9.—The question of the power of congress under the fourteenth amendment to pass a civil rights act is to be tested here. Last month a colored man with two friends entered Swain's restaurant. The proprietor refused to serve them. The colored man brought an action under the civil rights act. Swain filed a demurer on the ground that congress had no power under the fourteenth amendment to pass the act. The case will be argued before Judge Field. Whatever the decision the case will be taken to the United States Supreme Court.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of D. S. Kerstetter, dec'd. The undersigned an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county to make distribution of the funds of the accountant to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Court House, Wednesday, Oct. 10., 1883, at 10 A. M., when and where all parties interested may attend.

JAMES A. McCLAIN, Auditor.
37-3t

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre county, the subscriber, Executor of the estate of Philip Stover, late of Millheim, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19th, 1883,

The following described real estate:

No. 1. A valuable farm, situate in Haines township, said county, about three miles north east of Aaronsburg, and about two miles north west of Woodward, bounded by lands of Wm. Stover, David Krape, and others—containing 94 Acres and 144 Perches, neat measure, all cleared and in a high state of cultivation, excepting 5 acres, which are well timbered with Hemlock and Chestnut Oak.

The improvements are a good 2 story Dwelling House, Bank Barn and all other necessary outbuildings. Excellent orchard of apples and other fruit on the premises. Never-failing spring as well as running water near the door.

No. 2. A valuable tract of Timberland on Brush Mountain, about 1½ miles from above farm, easily accessible and near good road, well covered with Hemlock, Yellow Pine and Oak—containing 30 Acres.

No. 3. Consists of the homestead of the decedent, situate in Aaronsburg, marked in the plan of said town as lot No. 355. A good house, good stable, and all other necessary outbuildings thereon—all in best condition.

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No. 4. Lots No. 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 358 and 359, in Aaronsburg, close by the homestead above described. These lots are all in the best state of cultivation.

Sale of town property begins at Aaronsburg at 9 o'clock, and of farm and timberland, at the farm, at 1 o'clock of said day.

TERMS: Ten per cent. on day of sale, one third (including the ten per cent.) on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual payments with interest from confirmation—to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

JASPER W. STOVER, Executor.
3t

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Christina Kreamer, late of Penn township, Centre Co., Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly proven for settlement.

E. STAMBACH, Executor.
Aaronsburg, Aug. 30th, 1883. 6t

LAST NOTICE.—Persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of the late Jonathan Philips are hereby requested to make payment without delay. The estate must be settled up and they will save themselves costs by heeding this notice.

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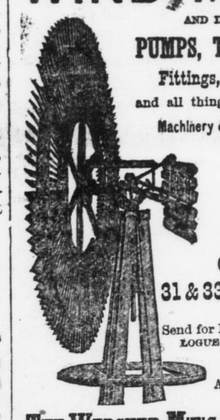

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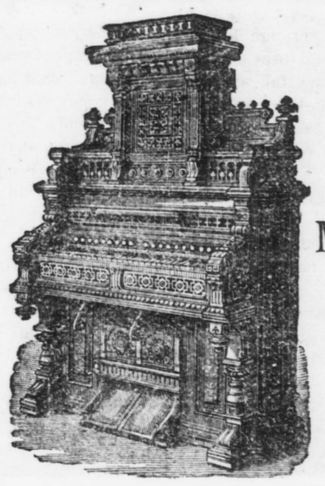

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

—Court at Lewisburg this week.

—Mrs. Mollie West of Pittsburg Pa., is here visiting relatives.

—Father Heinle and daughter, have taken possesion of the tollgate, north of town.

—The reopening exercises of Union Seminary at New Berlin take place on the 26th and 27th inst.

—Mr. John M. Seibert, and lady, of Harrisburg, are visiting at Sheriff Musser's. Real nice folks.

—Rev. C. F. Deininger and lady, of New Berlin, are here visiting since last week. They leave to-day.

—The other day we heard the music of a threshingflail, (Dreshflegel.) Puts a fellow in mind of old times.

FOR SALE.—A good truck wagon for sale, cheap.
tf C. F. GEPHART.

—Business is booming at Deininger & Musser's Millheim Marble Works. Three men and one traveling salesman are at work.

—Why buy worthless nostrums when you can cure your rheumatism or neuralgia with a pure vegetable preparation like Smith's German Olio.

—Aaron W. Ulrich was appointed collector of state ond county taxes for Penn township and H. A. Mingle for Haines. Capital selections, both.

—A single vessel the other Sunday brought nearly seven hundred Mormons from Europe. What is the government going to do about it?

—The gentle, seasonable rain last week give the newly-sown grain fields a good start. Thanks to a benevolent Providence for "the early and the latter rain."

—*If you owe us anything on subscription, please pay up, sock up, book up! We need money every day—often several times a day, to build our new office, you know.* tf

—The corn crop throughout the country was considerably damaged by the frosts of last week, but there need be no apprehension of a *corner* in corn on that account.

—Everybody around and about is getting the improvement fever. Even our conservative old friend *Mr. Henry Steinmetz*, has built himself a stylish new verandah.

—Spring Mills will soon have all the conveniences of a full-sized town. The latest addition is a good drug store with a competent druggist in it. See advertisement elsewhere.

—Two barrels of cider and five bushels of apples are wanted in exchange for MILLHEIM JOURNALS. For "plans and specifications" inquire at this office. tf

—Cleve Dinges is as restless as a flea. When you think he is *here* just then he is *there*. His latest is an enlarged business and a partner at Centre Hall. The firm's name is Dinges & Rarick.

—A first class, paneled two-horse wagon box for sale at a low price by the Millheim Cornet Band. Apply to
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tf Treasurer.

—Hoffer's Time, Wages & Expense Book is the most convenient little arrangement out for men who work by the day to keep their time and wages received. For sale at the JOUNAL STORE, price 15 cents. tf

—Our County Commisioners have appointed J. H. B. Hartman collector of state and county taxes for Millheim. Good—but John don't you get *sassy* now that every man and even some women in town *owe* you.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The Literary Society will give a free, public entertainment in the Town Hall, Saturday evening, Sept. 29th, next. All are invited. J. W. HERALD,
MARY E. STROHM, President.
Vice president. tf

—At from six to eight years of age every Millheim boy is expected to be a *graduate* in the useful art of quoting. At ten they must know all about pistols, guns and *powder*. Of course merely ornamental branches are not necessary.

—Mr. Wm. E. Smith, of Millmont, sold his timberland on Paddy Mountain, containing 2200 acres, to Zimmerman & Beecher, of Schuylkill county, for $18,500, Mr. Smith reserving the right to saw off the white pine and hemlock timber.

—Cleve Dinges left on Tuesday for Philadelphia and New York, to lay in the largest and most varied stock of fall and winter goods ever brought to Penn's Valley. Clear the track for the gritty, live young firm of Dinges, Vonada & Co.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

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—Last week a lot of household goods worth about $30 were stolen from the boarding house of J. Spigelmyer's saw mill. No clue has been found of the thieves at this writing.

—If we can not get our stock of winter apples all on a pile we expect to get them "*so buschelweis*," just as we have done before—payable in JOURNALS, of course. Friends don't forget your printer. Say you won't.

—Prof. W. T. Meyer offers at private sale at his residence in Aaronsburg, Pa., a good driving mare, top-buggy, two setts single harness, robe, cook stove, parlor stove, sink, and a new Haines Upright Piano. Call before Oct. 1st. 2t

—Wonder what pranks that long, lean, lank *barbarous* fellow of a Jake Springer will be up to next? The other day he got a man to help him, and the two carried a full-grown coal stove onto the roof of Jake's barber shop where it now serves the purpose of a chimney top. 'Tis a *mackerel fact*.

—J. A. LIMBERT will carry express and freight goods from Coburn to any point along the route at the following rates: All packages weighing less than 100 pounds, to Millheim, 10 cts., to Aaronsburg, 15 cts., to Woodward, 25 cts. For packages weighing over 100 pounds a proportionate charge will be made. tf

—Clark Musser comes out first best this year on sun flower farming. His best measures 17½ inches in diameter, the next one 16 inches, and so on downward. Several dozen "such 'uns" ought to be enough to trim the biggest lady's hat in the universe.

PUBLIC SALE.—Rev. W. M. Landis will have public sale at the Reformed parsonage, Rebersburg, next Saturday the 22nd, inst. He will sell his household goods among which are a fine Burdette Cabinet Organ, Chamber Suit, Family Carriage and stoves.

—Litigation must again be on the increase in Centre county, as the November court is to continue three weeks. The JOURNAL will publish the list of jurors in due time. Too much crowded just now, and it will be in season several weeks later.

—Our school board has engaged the following teachers for the coming winter term: Grammar—Rev. J. G. W. Herald; Primary—Miss Rose Harter; North Street—Miss Mary E. Strohm. Mr. Herald and Miss Strohm are experienced teachers, while Miss Harter is a graduate of the Central State Normal School, of Lock Haven.

—One after another building is going up in our neighboring town, Coburn. The Evangelical Church, Jacob Kerstetter's and John Rote's houses are nearly complete. Dinges, Vonada & Co's new store is almost ready for occupancy. Andrew Stover has made a good beginning with his house, and thus the brisk little town grows.

—Dr. Harter and Sam'l Weiser, Jr., brought a cornstalk to our office last week that measures fifteen feet and one inch from the roots to the tip of the tassel. It has a well-developed ear a little over seven feet above the roots. The monster cornstalk was raised on good democratic soil, by Mr. John Orndorf, of Haines township, as staunch an old democrat as can be found in a week's travel.

A GOOD RECORD.—Rev. W. M. Landis, who faithfully served the Rebersburg Reformed Charge for a little over eleven years, will leave next week for Beaver Springs, Snyder Co. Pa., where he has accepted another field of labor. A friend who is entirely familiar with the facts sent us the following data and figures which represent as far as figures can represent, Mr. Landis' official work. The better and unwritten part of his labors will only be revealed in the better land.

We never had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Landis preach, and therefore know him only as a man—a true, consistant, genial christian gentleman; and as such we have learned to love and respect him, and will cherish that feeling for him while life lasts:

Became pastor of the Rebersburg charge, June 1872, 11 years and 3 months ago. Built three churches during pastorate, Grace Chapel at the east end of Brush Valley, St. Peter's at Rebersburg and Christ at Madisonburg, all fine, comfortable churches, well adapted to their respected localities, and are fully paid for. The parsonage was also repaired and put in good condition.

STATISTICAL.

Communicant members, Sept. '72,	189.
" " " 1883	283.
Benevolent contributions, 1st yr.	$106.55
" " last "	$295.59
Infant baptisms, total,	216
Adult " "	5
Confirmations, "	200
Deaths (members,) "	61
Dismissed and erased	104
Total amount paid by the charge during pastorate, for	
Benevolence,	$1608.47
Pastor's salary,	5968.35
Building churches,	10440.64
Repairing parsonage,	300.
Congregational expense,	917.
Total,	$19234.46

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Messrs Editors:—

Why don't the people of your section and Brush Valley raise their united voice in rebellion against the present insufficient postal accommodations? The service, so nearly self-supporting as to allow a reduction in postage, compels the people of one of the richest parts of our county to be content with receiving their news when several days stale, and renders it as difficult to communicate with other parts of our county as with distant cities.

Rise up in your might and remonstrate against this inconvenient and annoying absurdity.

Traveling Agent.

It is notorious that our postal facilities are entirely inadequate to the growing trade and business of our towns and valleys, and efforts have been made repeatedly for better accommodations, but without avail. Perhaps the right *p'litikal influoens* has not yet been brought to bear on the matter.

—The George's Valley Harvest Home Sunday School Picnic last Saturday was a big affair and as creditable to all concerned as it was big. Three schools participated—the George's Valley Union, Locust Grove Union, both of Gregg township, and the Liberty Union, of Penn township. The Millheim Band was there, of course, in best trim, and never before did we hear the boys render better, finer, sweeter music than on Saturday. Seems to us that since they have their debts paid and are uniformed (now don't you read that word *uniformed*) they play much better than before, and it is getting to be pretty well understood in this part of the moral vineyard that no picnic or other public gathering is entirely complete without the Millheim Cornet Band.

Addresses were delivered by Rev. Benj. Hengst. Prof. D. M. Wolf, Prof. Lewis Robb, of the Spring Mills Academy, John Rishel, Esq., and B. O. Deininger. Four of the five speeches were decidedly good, short, pointed and well adapted to the occasion—of the *fifth* it becomes us not to speak.

After the addresses "*dinner*" was announced. And such a dinner! No, we will not attempt to describe it—language utterly fails us. Suffice it to say that it embraced all in quantity, quality and variety that Kings and princes could desire.

The afternoon was very happily spent, by the older part of the vast multitude present in hand shaking and social conversation, while "Young America" enjoyed itself to the full on swings, playing "ring tag," and other amusements. The best order prevailed throughout and the absence of sutler stands was voted a good improvement.

The weather was most delightful—could not have been better if *made to order*, and the committee deserve credit for selecting such a fine, sunny, balmy September day for their picnic.

The place is a most lovely spot of earth. The beautiful littlechurch, painted in pure white, amidst a cluster of grand old oak trees; the smooth road in front; the fine grove just beyond; the well-kept God's Acre (grave yard) and old Egg Hill as a solid background to all, constitute a rare panorama of beauty and loveliness indeed; and to the writer it is doubly so, as the scene of his early professional labors in the noble calling of teaching.

The picnic was a full-grown success.

IS THERE DANGER?—In speaking of the recent big fire at Mifflin the Harrisburg *Patriot* very fittingly says:

Mifflin is unfortunate. It has, however, scarcely any person to blame but its own residents. The town is very beautifully situated on the east bank of the Juniata. Its buildings are mostly of brick, well constructed and fine in appearance. Almost thirteen years ago in the dead of winter a fire broke out and the southern portion of the place was burned. The town is not a large one, having only about 1,000 population, but the disaster was severe. Ten years ago yesterday another fire sprung up in the place and an entire suare in the centre of the town was destroyed. This was elegantly built up, and until last evening was one of the finest business parts in this section of the state. In place of a business centre it is to-day a mass of smouldering ruins, scarcely a vestige of any edifice that adorned it remaining. The fault seems to have been negligence on the part of the people to provide protection in case of fire. Not a particle of fire apparatus outside of a few hooks and ladders is in the place.

It is remarkably strange that a town that has the wealth and intelligence which Mifflin has is not better prepared to meet a calamity that has befallen it a few weeks ago, and for the *third* time within a period of thirteen years Who can account for it? It can not be that the good citizens of Mifflin are too penurious to pay for the requisite apparatus. That is not the *why*. It is the old *rut life* into which so many towns, like individuals are so apt to sink.

But are not many other towns in precisely the same box as Mifflin, in this matter? How about our own Millheim? What are our preparations to fight fire? Nothing whatever—absolutely none—excepting plenty of buckets and the mill race in the rear of town, thanks to Providence and to the dust and ashes of Philip Gunkle for that?

In the forty years which we have spent in Millheim there has not happened one extensive fire, although there were a number of *very* close escapes. Will an indulgent Providence spare us another forty years, or ten, or even a single year?

Something substantial and practical should be done. Our *efficient* council should take the matter in hand. Whatever is necessary for a possible emergency should be provided, and a fire company of our best citizens organized. The common evil of making a fire engine the toy and plaything for boys to have their fun and frolic with, should be avoided.

Our own personal risk in the matter is probably as little as that of any other citizen in town, and yet we have written on this subject time and again, not that we have the least desire to play the role of an alarmist, nor that the subject is particularly inviting, but solely from a sense of duty as a public journalist.

We have but little hope that anything we say or have said will have any tangible effect. It is so hard to raise a town above the old, accustomed channel—the *rut life*. The matter will be discussed, rather, casually talked about in stores and on street corners for a day or so, and then ——nothing. But we have the satisfaction of having tried to do our duty and will "shake the dust off our feet" and "wash our hands in innocency."

SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

Mrs. Charles E. Royer and son, after spending some time among their friends here, have returned to their western home in Crawford county, Kansas.

I. J. Grenoble has already received over 650 tonsof coal this fall!!!

L. C. Kunkle left for Howard, where he takes charge of the Grammar School. Lot is an excellent teacher.

The old Union Sunday School decided by vote last Sunday to continue the school during the coming winter. Good.

Mr. Henry Krumrine with his two grand-children, are off on a visit to Stephenson county Illinois.

James Grove has returned from a five weeks' tour throughout the west.

Our school board on Saturday appointed the following teachers for the winter term:

Gate School—W. A. Brown; Cross Roads—George Musser; Murray's—Woodward Mark; Hoy's—J. P. Heckman; Beaver Dam—Philip Auman; Mountain—L. A. Auman; Decker's—H. M. Cain; Polk Hill—Amanda Grove; Spring Mills Grammar—Calvin Neff, Intermediate—Clara J. Guise, Primary—Maggie Hannah. Penn Hall and Farmer's Mills to be supplied.

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Hams	15
Sides	12
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Pork	
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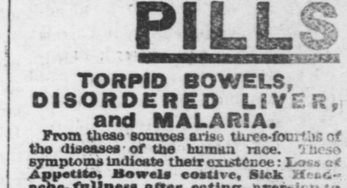
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Cabbage Pests.

Wash the cabbage well with strong soot and water and on the first dry day dust the ground about the cabbage with quick-lime, and pick as many of the caterpillars off as you can find; and during the winter gas lime the land and leave it in ridges to catch the frost, and very few insects will trouble you again. The odors emitted from gas lime are so pungent that neither moth, butterfly nor mole will remain on land that is dressed with it.—*Gardening Illustrated.*

Feeding Apples to Cows.

Economy may sometimes run wild, when it is a costly substitute for the tame article. It runs wild when one "saves at the spit and wastes at the bung." It is this kind of economy which makes the cow do such scavenging work as the gathering of fallen, wormy apples in orchards or the rotten windfalls. We do not want any worms in ours, however willingly others may take their milk thus flavored. To put the cow to this business is to put filth into the milk. There is nothing in an unripe, wormy apple that can add a particle to the raw material from which a cow produces milk; and judging of a cow's stomach by a man's—and there is a reasonable physiological analogy between them—it is not probable that a mess of hard, unripe, sour apples will be either aid or comfort to the cow in her daily work. Apples are of questionable use in any way and at any time for a cow's fodder. We have frequently given them to cows, and also fed the pomace from the cider mill, principally because the animal evinced a desire for them, but always and without exception the milk had decreased in consequence, and sometimes very considerably. There is no doubt that at times some acid food is healthful even for a cow. One may generally have confidence, to some extent safely in the instinct of a cow as regards the selection of her food; but we believe never in regard to the quantity of it. This the duty of the feeder to regulate. But sometimes the cow's appetite is abnormal and unhealthful and then requires to be controlled, and this control is necessary in regard to devouring unripe, wormy apples, as much as in regard to over-drinking water from foul puddles, which is sometimes preferred to clean water. Hogs may, perhaps, safely consume wormy apples which fall from the trees, but the cow must not be treated as hogs are by any means.—*Dairy.*

Storing Potatoes.

There are three methods of storing in general use, each of which has its merits and its champions. Three general principles underlie these several methods, viz: Protection against frosts and temperature, freedom from moisture and avoidance of heating caused by storing too deep. The advantages claimed for storing in barrels are that the roots are easily handled, do not suffer from abrasion, can be easily examined, and if disease appears it can be readily checked and removed. The chief objection to this method is the time and expense involved when the crop is a large one. Bins are coming largely into use, especially in localities near large cities, for the potatoes can at any time be readily reached and prepared for market. A cool, dry, well ventilated cellar, with the light excluded, is an admirable place in which to store potatoes. The argument in favor of storing potatoes under ground is that there is little if any loss by evaporation. Objections to the plan are the labor involved in opening the banks when the roots are required and the risk involved from the extremes of too close or insufficient covering. When pits are employed it is important that arrangements be made for ventilation. When stored in cellars, barns or root-houses it is a safe plan not to fill the bins with roots to a depth exceeding three or four feet. It has been claimed that lime sprinkled in barrels or bins at that rate, say one pound to each barrel, tends to prevent decay by acting as an absorbent and neutralizing the earthly odors. The importance of excluding light from potatoes and keeping them as cool as possible without freezing, cannot be over-estimated.—*Farmer and Manufacturer.*

Recipes.

Sally Lunn—Three eggs, one pint of sweet milk, salt, two table-spoonfuls of lard or butter, or one table-spoonful of each melted, three pints of flour, half a pint of hop yeast. Separate the yelks and whites of the eggs and beat them very light. Add the milk of the yelks, then the salt and flour and whites. Stir in the yeast and beat all together until very light. Butter the cake or bread pan, pour in the batter, and let it rise over night. Bake an hour or longer in a moderate oven and serve it hot for breakfast.

Green Pea Soup—Boil one pint of green peas in water with salt, a slice of onion, a sprig of parsley and a few leaves of mint. When cooked drain off the water and past the peas through a hair sieve. Dilute the puree to the proper consistency with some good stock perfectly free from fat. At the time of serving make it quite hot, put a piece of fresh butter the size of walnut into it and serve with small dice of bread fried in butter; add a few drops of spinach greening if the color is not bright enough.

Stewed Chicken with Tomatoes—Cut up a chichen and fry it slightly; take out the pieces of chicken and dredge a little flour into the fat they were fried in; add sufficient water to make the sauce, and one pound of skinned and cut up tomatoes, with a medium-sized onion also cut up, and a little chopped parsley, cayenne and black pepper; season to taste with salt, and stew until all is well amalgamated. Put in the chicken with three ounces of butter, and stew for a couple of more hours; then put in a pint of well washed rice and stew another hour; serve with the sauce.

A Light Desert—Take a half cup of tapioca or sago and a quart of water; boil until it is soft, sweeten it to your taste; beat the yelks of three eggs to a stiff froth, beating in a tablespoonful of pulverized sugar; put on top of the pudding and set in the oven to brown.

Another way is to cover the bottom of a pudding dish with apples which have been peeled and cut in quarters, pour the tapioca and water over them, bake an hour in a slow oven and serve with sugar and sweet cream.

CLIPPINGS FOR THE CURIOUS.

Monkeys follow leopards on their way through the forest, shaking branches at them, chattering loudly, and even making faces at them.

A lady on Staten Island who "collects" them writes to a New York newspaper that it takes exactly forty sparrows to make a presentable pie.

The tumble-weed derives its name from the circumstance that when ripe the wind tears it by the roots and sends it over the fields rolling hither and thither, so that its seed is soon thrashed out. It is sometimes seen piled fence high on the prairie farms.

According to the census the army of Man appears to consist of thirty-one officers (effective and retired) and twenty-three non-commissioned officers and men. Militia, yeomanry and volunteers include four individuals, while there are thirty-one army pensioners.

A "canina" recently exhibited in London, is an instrument called musical by courtesy, and producing its tones by dogs who sit in a box and growl or howl or bark, as 'tis their nature to, when struck on the head by a wire connected with a key manipulated by a player.

Different tribes of Indians use different sorts of poison for their arrow points. The Comanches use the juice of the Spanish bayonet; the Apaches bruise the heads of rattlesnakes with bits of deer liver, allow it to putrefy and dip their arrows in it. The Moquis irritates a rattlesnake until he bites himself, and moisten their darts in the blood. Poisons made from the stings of bees and from ants are used by other tribes.

The following curious sign is kept before the eyes of the public at the foot of a steamboat landing in Portland, Me.: "No passes given to tramps. Do not take the trouble to ask for them. In those days were no passes given. Search the Scriptures. Thou shalt not pass.—Numb., xx., 18. Suffer not a man to pass.—Judges, iii., 28. The wicked shall no more pass.—Nahum, i., 15. None shall pass.—Isaiah, xxxiv., 10. This generation shall not pass.—Mark, xiii., 30. Though they roar yet can they not pass.—Jeremiah, v., 22. So he paid the fare thereof and went.—Jonah, i., 3."

Great men, whose lives are spent in the study of color, will not paint a flower! Anything but that—a furred mantle, a jeweled zone, a silken gown, a brazen corslet, nay, an old leather chair, or a wall-paper if you will, with utmost care and delight; but a flower by no manner of means, if avoidable. Titian, in his early work, sometimes carries a blossom or two out with affection, as the columbines in our Bacchus and Ariadne. In his portrait of Lavinia, the roses are just touched finely enough to fill their place, with the most subdued red possible; while in a later portrait of the same there are no roses at all, but a belt of chased, golden balls, on every stud of which Titian has concentrated his strength, and, it is believed, forgot the face a little, so much has the mind been set on the golden belt.—*Ruskin.*

Hangman's Day.

The origin of the custom of executing criminals on Friday, now fast going out of vogue, is not certainly known. By some it is said to have originated in the fact that Friday was early considered an unlucky day. Chambers says: "Some portion of its maleficent character is probably due to the character of the Scandinavian Venus Frega, wife of Odin, the goddess of fecundity. But we are met, on the other hand, by the fact that among the Brahmins of India a like superstitious aversion of Friday exists." The popular aversion to the day may have been the reason for its being selected as the day upon which executions should take place. Others say the custom originated from the fact that the Savior was crucified on that day, but it is a little difficult to see why that event occurring on Friday should cause it to be selected as a hangman's day generally.

LATEST NEWS.

LONDON, Sept., 14.---A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Hong Kong dated yesterday states that a battle has taken place between the French forces and the Black Flags, lasting eight hours. The engagement took place between Hanoi and Sontay, near the Red river. The French forces are reported as having lost two officers and fifty men. The loss of the Black Flags is estimated at between 500 and 600 men.

The announcement that Mr. Gladstone intends to visit Copenhagen excites great attention in Berlin.

The London correspondent of the Vienna New Free Press says he has learned from an authentic source that China and France have accepted in prinoiple the meditation of England for the settlement of the Tonquin question.

The Madrid correspondent of the Daily News says the Spanish legation at Washington has informed the government that there is a Spanish exile in Cuba making preparations for a rising of the colored people, who are reported to be discontented. The plot however, is destined to fail.

Compulsory quarantine at the capes for Baltimore-bound vessels has been abolished.

A special to the Atlanta, Ga., *Constitution* says that Jacksonville, Ala., has been destroyed by fire. The loss is $50,000. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

Milton C. Keenan, treasurer of Jackson county, Ohio, has disappeared. He is a defaulter in a sum not less than $8,000. He is married and has a family, but it is thought he eloped with a young girl.

A case of leprosy was brought to San Francisco by the last steamer from Honolulu. The sufferer is a native of the Sandwich Islands, of French descent. The quarantine officers refused permission for him to land. A writ of habeas corpus has been issued, and the matter will come up in the Superior Court.

The Oriole Pageant of 1883 at Baltimore has come and gone. Months of anxious preparation, many thousands of dollars spent, for the evanescent glories of a night! But the result was splendid, magnificent and astonishing, far surpassing any previous pageant of the kind. There were the usual drawbacks of such huge pageants here and elsewhere; the old trouble about lighting recurred, and the delays were tedious, but, nevertheless, the Order of the Oriole achieved a brilliant success.

Captain George E. Tyson, of the War Department watch, who was a member of the Polaris expedition, recently submitted a letter to the Secretary of War volunteering to go in search of the Greely party early next spring in a schooner to be manned by a crew of his own selection. Lieut. Danenhauer, formerly of the Jeannette, also expresses his willingness to take part in a relief expedition.

William Runyan, a farmer, and his wife were found dead in bed at their residence, at Millville, Columbia county, Pa., with their throats cut from ear to ear. They had apparently been dead about a week. Some of the neighbors believe that Runyan killed his wife and then committed suicide, while others are of opinion that the couple were murdered by a party of tramps. A knife was found in the bed. There were no signs of a struggle having taken place. The couple had lived happily together. Runyan was 25 years of age and his wife 20.

GENERAL NEWS.

LONDON, Sept., 13.---The difficulty between France and China remains unadjusted. The French Cabinet will consider the subject at their meeting to-day.

The Luther Quartre Centenary was celebrated at Wittenberg, Germany, yesterday.

Prince Bismarck's condition is reported worse, and a consultation of physicians is to take place at Gastein.

The Paris Patrie reports that the police frustrated a plot to kill King Alfonso during the latter's recent stay in Paris.

A Norwegian vessel, name as yet unknown, was sunk in the English Channel to-day by collison. Twelve persons were drowned.

The steamer Proteus, which had been sent out to relieve the Grely exploring expedition in the Arctic Seas has been crushed by ice, and the expedition is a failure, the crew of the Proceus were all saved.

At Pittsburg, a balloon in which Prof. G. A. Warner has been making ascensions collapsed when 8,000 feet above the earth. Mr. Warner held on to the ropes, and the balloon came down so slowly as to land him on the ground uninjured.

The Democrats of New Jersey have nominated Leon Abbott for Governor.

Fire at Olympia, W. T., destroyed the surveyor general's office and other buildings. All the land records were burned. Loss, $60,000.

The business men of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va., have resolved to aid the Seney syndicate to bring the Richmond and Danville system into Norfolk.

LONDON, Sept. 12---The police have surprised some secret societies at Agram, Croatia, which have been endeavoring to direct riots against the Jews. Several officers of the societies have been arrested.

The remains of Admiral Pierre, the late commander of the French in Madagascar, will be honored with a state funeral.

The quarter-centennary of Martin Luther will be commemorated at Wittenberg Prussia, to-day. Over 1,000 clergyman from all parts of Protestant Germany will assist in the ceremonies.

Hicks Pasha, who left Khartoum on the 9th instant with 5,000 men for a campaign on the left banks of the White Nile against El Mahdi, the false prophet, has forwarded a despatch to the Khedive stating that El Mahdi's religious influence is broken.

Senator Vest and Representative Magnis, of the Indian commission, have returned to Missoula, Mont., from St. Mary's mission, at the Flat Head Agency. The Indians refused to sell any part of their reservation.

All the members of the Villard Northern Pacific excursion party arrived at Portland, Oregon, September 12. The procession in their honor was two miles long, and represented all branches of industry.

David L. Pryne, president; J. B. Cooper, treasurer; C. B. Calvert, secretary, and A. W. Harris, assistant secretary---the officers of the Oklahoma Company, an organization for the purpose of the locating and entering lands in the Indian Territory---have been arrested at Wichita, Kansas.

A proposed gigantic land steal, enveloping several millions dollars' worth of United States redeemed timber lands in the northern part of California, has been brought to light in San Francisco. It is alleged that government officials are acting in collusion with the parties engineering the scheme.

Margaret Carman, who was tried in the Queens County (N. Y.) Court of Sessions on the charge of causing the death of Mrs. Sidney Smith, of Freeport, Long Island, in April last by malpractice, was found guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. She is married, and the mother of seven children.

Hugh J. Hastings, proprietor of the New York Commercial Advertiser, died at Monmouth Beach, N. J.

Yellow fever is prevailing at Hermosillo Sonora, Mex., as well as at Guaymas, Mazatland, and a number of other Pacific towns.

Seven of the old defenders answered the call of names at the reunion of the celebration at Baltimore, September 12. There was a general holiday.

Naval Cadets Trapnell, Campbell, Bertholf and Moeller have been dismissed the service on account of "hazing," from the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

There were many vessels in the harbor, only two of which held their anchorages throughout the gale. None of them, however, were wrecked. The Norwegian bark Sulitjelma, bound for Liverpool, and the schooner Rover, for Baltimore, after colliding, went ashore on Big Rock, and both will return to this city for repairs. The oldest pilots say that, in duration and violence, the storm at Smithville exceeded any they ever witnessed.

A destructive fire occurred in the business portion of Fort Smith, Ark. The heaviest losers are: F. W. Boas, building and stock, $10,000; John Vaughn, building and stock, $10,000; Devlin & Sparks, boots and shoes, $1,500; Kennedy & Tate, $4,500; A. Haglin, dry goods, $7,000; Guler & Brunoldi, confectioners, $8,000; P. Berman, clothing, $5,000. All the buildings are a total loss.

Customs Collector Hartranft, of Philadelphia, has been requested by Secrrtary Folger to apprise shipping masters that France has declared the Gulf of Tonquin under surveillance, and that any attempt to land arms or munitions at Annam would be treated as blockade-running, the vessels confiscated and the crews treated as prisoners of war.

At Wilmington, N. C., the wires are still down between there and Smithville, and the steamers which run daily between that point and this city did not leave their wharves. They went down, but had to return, bringing the first details of the ravages of the storm. At Smithville the storm reached the proportions of a hurricane, the wind reaching a maximum velocity of ninety-three miles per hour. For seven hours consecutively it averaged eighty-one miles per hour. Many houses were unroofed, a number of wharves were washed away, and the fisheries were seriously damaged. All the pilot boats were blown ashore, and one of them was sunk.

LONDON, Sept. 11.---A Chinese mob has pillaged the property of European merchants in Canton. The riot was caused by Portuguese sailors killing a Chinaman in an affray, and the news created a flutter in London and Paris.

The alarm has been sounded from Berlin in regard to Russian interference in Bulgaria.

It is reiterated that England will officiate in determining the Tonquin question between France and China.

The Austrian government has signified the purpose to use extreme measures with the Croats in rebellion.

United States Minister Wallace has received a definitive explanation from the Porte in regard to the new Turkish license laws.

The prevailing storm on the Atlantic coast has been extraordinary severe, and damage to shipping is probable.

A steam fire engine company went from Miffintown, Pa., to Lewistown by rail, at their own expense, to extinguish a fire, and were compelled to pay toll on crossing the bridge.

A special telegram from Vincennes, Ind., says J. C. Bedell. who represented the commission house of McCormick & Beebe, of Chicago, has disappeared, leaving an indebtedness of $25,000.

Washington Notes.

Surgeon-General Hamilton, of the marine hospital service, has received a report from Dr. Main, at Brownsville, Texas, in which the latter states that locusts are in Huustica, State of Vera Cruz, at Tamaulipas, near Tampico, Rio Verde, Eastern and St. Luis Potosi. At the last-mentioned place, he says, the locusts occupy a perfect parallelogram seven leagues long by two leagues wide, in a solid rank, and are traveling northward, leaving no verdure behind them.

Postmaster-General Gresham was asked recently to explain why payment of new postal notes had been refused in several instances. He said that a great many persons did not seem to understand that postal notes are payable only at the office upon which they are drawn and at the office where they are issued, and that merchants and other business men are not obliged to accept them when they are drawn in favor of other parties.

A communication from the Utah commission has been received at the Interior Department reporting that the "Edmunds act" has been rigidly enforced. No polygamist has been permitted to vote or be voted for, and nearly fifteen thousand persons have been disfranchised through the operation of the law.

Secretary Folger has returned and will relieve assistant-secretary John C. New, who has been in charge of the Treasury Department since First-Assistant Secretary French went West. It is understood that Mr. New will leave for his home in Indiana, and that he does not intend to return again.

THE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE.		
FLOUR—City Mills extra	$4 00	@5 00
WHEAT—Southern Fultz	1 08	@1 11
CORN—Southern white	60	@ 61
Do yellow	63	@ 64
RYE—Good	65	@ 67
OATS—Maryland	35	@ 37
COTTON—Middling	10⅛	@ 10¼
Good ordinary	9	@ 9⅝
HAY—Md. and Pa. Timot'y	15 00	@ 18 00
STRAW—Wheat	700	@ 8 00
BUTTER—Western prime	23	@ 25
West Virginia	15	@ 17
CHEESE—New York State choice	11	@ 11½
Western prime	9	@ 10½
EGGS	20	@ 23
CATTLE	5 50	@ 6 75
SWINE	8	@ 8¾
SHEEP AND LAMBS	3	@ 3½
TOBACCO LEAF—Inferior	3 00	@ 5 00
Good common	5 00	@ 5 00
Middling	6 00	@ 8 00
Good to fine red	8 50	@ 10 00
Fancy	10 00	@ 15 00
NEW YORK.		
COTTON—Middling uplands	10	@ 10¼
FLOUR—Southern com. to fair extra	4 30	@5 20
WHEAT—No. 1 white	1 19	@1 20
RYE—State	69	@ 73
CORN—Southern Yellow	62	@ 63
OATS—White State	40	@ 45
BUTTER—State	20	@ 22
CHEESE—State	9	@ 12
EGGS	23	@ 23
PHILADELPHIA.		
FLOUR—Penna. fancy	4 75	@5 21
WHEAT—Pa. and Southern red	1 20	@ 1 21
	1 18	@ 1 19
RYE—Pennsylvania	61	@ 68
CORN—Southern yellow	53	@ 60
OATS	39	@ 38
BUTTER—State	20	@ 27
EGGS—State	15	@ 18

An Information Club.

A number of ladies met one day for purposes of social improvement. One of their number proposed that each member of the party should inform the company of the last new thing she had learned. Amid much laughter the plan was agreed upon. A young married lady began by telling how to make a new kind of fancy bread. Then Mrs. Smith spoke: "I had two holes in my brown cashmere dress. I could not darn them, nor patch them, nor take a piece out to look well, and I was bound not to make a bad job of it. I don't mind a mended place on a calico dress, but a good cashmere would look so like an old one, darn it never so nicely, and press it never so well. A friend showed me her black merina that she had mended charmingly by wetting a piece of court plaster of exactly the same shade as the goods, and putting it on the wrong side, pressing down every frayed edge and every thread, and laying a weight on it until it was thoroughly dry." Mrs. Green then stated that deodorized sulphur brushed well into the scalp with a stiff brush was excellent for making the hair grow. The little school teacher gave her method for crimping hair; she dampened it a little at night, then put in closely, one after another, some pieces of those long combs that little girls wear. The broken pieces put in closely at the sides made nice, large ripples that remained in for a day or two, if the front hair was handled carefully and not drawn tightly. And so on through the entire circle. Every lady gave some bit of useful information to her interested listeners. Don't you think this plan of entertainment a good one, ladies?

Advance Step in Dentistry.

HAVANA, CUBA.—The most popular dentist of this city, Dr. D. Francisco Garcia, member of the Royal University, states that in all cases of troublesome neuralgia, arising from the teeth, his patrons are recommended to use St. Jacob's Oil, and the most satisfactory cures have followed. It is a specific for toothache, earache, bodily pains, and proof against household accidents.

The ancients used strategy—The moderns, cheek.

New chatelaine watches are of globe shape and are worn hanging like a seal, with the face downward.

Bleached mouse is the latest favorite shade This will probably be followed by the rattan.

Texas has 6,139 miles of railroad and is still at work.

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An excited organ of the cremationists declares that the Undertakers' Union has been running the thing into the ground long enough.

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The increasing demand for this preparation as a household remedy for indigestion and dyspepsia is sufficient proof of its efficacy.

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